

## Gallatin City-County Health Department

### **Human Services**

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# Communicable Disease Report July 6, 2009

To: Health Care Providers

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#### Gallatin County Weekly Communicable Disease Report 6/24/09-6/30/09:

Reportable : Non- Reportable :

6 Chlamydia 45 Streptococcus 3 Influenza 1 Mononucleosis

- 2 Dog Bites
- 2 Hepatitis C
- 1 Campylobacter
- 1 Hepatitis B
- 1 Rocky Mountain Spotted Fever

GCCHD 24/7 contact number: Call Dispatch 582- 2100 Ext.2, ask to page Health Department

#### Montana Communicable Disease Weekly Report: 7/3/09

<u>Summary – Week 25-</u> Disease reports received at DPHHS June 21-27, 2009 included campylobacteriosis, cryptosporidiosis, giardiasis, salmonellosis, rabies in a skunk, Rocky Mountain Spotted Fever and varicella. (There have been 9 confirmed or probable cases of Rocky Mountain Spotted Fever to date in 2009 compared to 0 cases in 2008 and 2007).

<u>Summary – Weeks 23, 24-</u> Disease reports received at DPHHS June 6 – June 20, 2009 included campylobacteriosis, *E. coli* 0157, giardiasis and salmonellosis, tick-borne RMSF, bacterial meningitis (NOT meningococcal), invasive *S. pneumoniae* (adults), acute hepatitis A in a traveler, malaria in a traveler and varicella. (One case of *E. coli* hemolytic uremic syndrome reported week 22 is associated with the national outbreak related to *Nestle* Tollhouse cookie dough; the person has recovered).

<u>Influenza Surveillance</u> – As of July 2, 2009, Montana is reporting 72 laboratory confirmed cases of novel influenza A (H1N1), 4 hospitalizations and no deaths in 17 counties. >90% of positive influenza A PCR tests are now novel influenza A H1N1. It is anticipated that cases will continue to occur over the next few weeks.

<u>HIV</u> - The number of new HIV diagnoses is 19 as of June 2009, which is close to the average number of cases seen in a whole year. Many of these new diagnoses were later in the course of disease, when therapy is less effective.

http://www.dphhs.mt.gov/newsevents/newsreleases2009/june/hiv.shtml

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